

**NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN COUNCIL  
NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN HALL  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
2000 SMITH STREET  
NORTH PROVIDENCE, RI 02911**

**REGULAR MEETING     June 2, 2015  
7:00 p.m.**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

- **CALL TO ORDER**
- **SALUTE TO FLAG (PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE)**
- **MOMENT OF SILENCE**

**1) ACCEPTANCE OF**

**MEETING MINUTES::     Minutes from meetings of April 27, May 5,  
May 7 and May 12, 2015 to be accepted/approved by the Town  
Council.**

**2) AUDITOR/AUDITOR GENERAL:: Mayor Lombardi requests discussion, update and possible vote on the Auditor and Auditor General.**

**3) TRASH REMOVAL:: Mayor Lombardi requests discussion on trash removal. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting.**

**PROPOSED ORDINANCES: Notice was given of a Public Hearing on this day whereby the Town Council would consider passage of the following proposed ordinances.**

#### **4) OPERATING BUDGET**

**ORDINANCE 15-005: Adoption of 2015/2016 Operating Budget Ordinance #15-002.**

**5) VENDOR LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval of a Vendor**

**License to sell fireworks from Keith Lambert d/b/a Keystone Novelties Distributors, LLC. at 1350 Mineral Spring Avenue.**

**6) PEDDLER LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval**

**of a Peddler**

**License from Keith Lambert d/b/a New England Novelty  
to sell novelties at Notte Park for the Independence Day  
Celebration.**

**7) VICTUALLING LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the  
approval of a Victualling**

**License for Betty's Restaurant at 1075 Charles Street.  
( Restaurant has a New Owner)**

**8) EXTENDED HOURS LICENSE: Town Council to consider the  
approval of an Extended Hours**

**License for Betty's Restaurant at 1075 Charles Street.**

**(Restaurant has a New Owner)**

**9) PEDDLERS/VENDOR LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval of a Peddlers/Vendor License from Saverio I. Giusti, dba Haven Brothers Diner, 72 Spruce Street, Providence, RI**

**10) BLOCK PARTY: Town Council to consider the approval/permission for residents of Plymouth Road to have a Neighborhood Block Party on July fourth of this year.**

**11) SPEEDING ISSUES ON**

**KENTLAND/AUDUBON AVENUE:: Received communication from Lyubov Boguk to address the Town Council with concerns of Speeding on and around Kentland and Audubon Avenues**

**12) SPEEDING ON HIGH**

**SERVICE AVENUE:: Received communication from Charles Caranci to address the Town Council with concerns of speeding on High Service Avenue.**

**13) SENIOR TAX EXEMPTION:: Received communication from Alan Ceprano to address the Town Council regarding Senior Tax Exemptions.**

**14) ROUTE 146 OVERPASS:: Councilman Warren requests discussion and possible vote on the Route 146 Overpass on Mineral Spring Avenue. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting.)**

**15) TOWN WEBSITE:: Councilman DeStefanis requests discussion and vote on upgrading the town's website to be more interactive and informative while also ensuring that all departments are utilizing any and all technology available. (This item was continued from the regular May Town Council Meeting)**

**16) ROSNER AVENUE**

**TRAFFIC IMPACT STUDY:: Councilman DeStefanis and Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and Vote concerning Rosner Avenue Traffic Impact Study.**

**17) TIFFANY STREET**

**ABANDONMENT ON 2/3/15:: Councilman Giusti requests discussion and voted concerning the Tiffany Street Abandonment granted on 2/03/15.**

**18) SMITHFIELD ROAD:: Councilman Feola requests discussion and**

**vote concerning debris on Smithfield Road.**

**19) “NO THRU TRUCKING”:: Councilman Feola requests discussion and vote concerning “No Thru Trucking” on a portion of Smithfield Road after certain times.**

## **20) COMMERCIAL TRUCKING**

**ENFORCEMENT TRAINING:: Councilman Feola requests discussion and voted concerning Commercial Trucking Enforcement Training for North Providence Police Officers.**

**21) MEDIA INITIATIVE:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and possible vote concerning upgrades for streaming the Town Council Meetings. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting)**

**22) CODIFICATION OF RECORDS:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and possible vote concerning codification of records in the Town Clerk's Office. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting)**

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**23) STOP SIGN:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and possible vote concerning a stop sign at the corner of Maynard Street and 245 Rosner Avenue.**

**24) SIDEWALK ORDINANCE:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests discussion and possible vote on our sidewalks and the removal of trees.**

**25) BASEBALL FIELDS IN TOWN:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests**

**discussion and possible vote on the baseball fields in the Town of North Providence.**

**26) ELIOT AVENUE FLOODING:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests discussion and possible vote concerning an update regarding Eliot Avenue and surrounding streets flooding issue.**

**27) BOARD APPOINTMENTS:: Town Council discussion/action with regard to appointments to be made to the following boards:**

**A) LAND TRUST ADVISORY BOARD (2 APPTS.)**

## **28) ORDINANCE**

**COMMITTEE REPORT:: Town Council discussion/action with regard to the Ordinance Committee Report to be presented by Councilman Giusti.**

**29) CLAIMS SUBMITTED:: Town Council discussion/action with regard to claims received from the following:**

**A) Farris Maxwell, c/o 1-800 Water Damage/Alliance Restoration, 2158 Plainfield Pike, Cranston, RI**

**B) Carolyn Sclama, 90D Nipmuc Trail, North Providence, RI**

**C) Rhonda Kessler, 99 Limerock Road, Smithfield, RI**

**D) Ann C. Harper, 555 Veazie Street, Apt. 210, Providence, RI**